

## CLAIMS

[1] A navigation apparatus comprising:

5 a route acquiring unit that acquires a route that connects a departure place and a destination, the route including a plurality of section routes for which different kinds of transportations are used;

a guiding unit that performs a guidance based on the route acquired by the route acquiring unit; and

10 a guidance controller that receives an instruction whether to perform the guidance for each of the section routes, and controls the guiding unit to perform the guidance for a section route for which an instruction to perform the guidance is received.

15 [2] The navigation apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the guidance controller displays soft buttons for issuing the instruction to perform the guidance for each of the section routes.

20 [3] A navigation apparatus comprising:

a route acquiring unit that acquires a route that connects a departure place and a destination, the route including a first section-route for which a first transportation is used and a second section-route for which a second transportation is used;

25 a guiding unit that performs a guidance based on the route acquired by the route acquiring unit; and

a guidance controller that receives an instruction whether to perform the guidance for the first section-route, and

controls the guiding unit to perform the guidance for a section route for which an instruction to perform the guidance is received, whereas not to perform the guidance for the second section-route.

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[4] The navigation apparatus according to claim 3, wherein a public transportation system is used as the second transportation for the second section-route, and a transportation including a traveling on foot other than the public transportation system is used as the first transportation for the first section-route.

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[5] The navigation apparatus according to claim 3, wherein a traveling on foot is used as the transportation for the first section-route, and a public transportation system is used as the second transportation for the second section-route.

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[6] A navigation method comprising:  
acquiring a route that connects a departure place and a destination, the route including a plurality of section routes for which different kinds of transportations are used;  
receiving an instruction whether to perform the guidance for each of the section routes; and  
performing the guidance for a section route for which an instruction to perform the guidance is received.

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[7] A navigation method comprising:

acquiring a route that connects a departure place and a destination, the route including a first section-route for which a first transportation is used and a second section-route for which a second transportation is used;

5                   receiving an instruction whether to perform the guidance for the first section-route; and

                  performing the guidance for a section route for which an instruction to perform the guidance is received, whereas not to perform the guidance for the second section-route.

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[8]               A program that causes a computer of a navigation apparatus including a guiding unit that performs a guidance based on a route to function as:

                  a route acquiring unit that acquires a route that connects  
15               a departure place and a destination, the route including a plurality of section routes for which different kinds of transportations are used; and

                  a guidance controller that receives an instruction  
                  whether to perform the guidance for each of the section routes,  
20               and controls the guiding unit to perform the guidance for a section route for which an instruction to perform the guidance is received.

[9]               A program that causes a computer of a navigation  
25               apparatus including a guiding unit that performs a guidance based on a route to function as:

                  route acquiring unit that acquires a route that connects a departure place and a destination, the route including a first

section-route for which a first transportation is used and a second section-route for which a second transportation is used; and

- 5           a guidance controller that receives an instruction whether to perform the guidance for the first section-route, and controls the guiding unit to perform the guidance for a section route for which an instruction to perform the guidance is received, whereas not to perform the guidance for the second section-route.